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East Temple Street.... Salt Lake City.

THIS LARGE AND EXCELLENT HOTEL HAS BEEN open so long to the public, that it is unnecessary for the proprietor to give it any recommendation, except that it has lately been re-modeled and re-fitted with extensive additions, has First Class accommodations, good, clean Beds, and Tables supplied with the

BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.

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SELLER & SNYDER,  
AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Second South Temple Street, two doors  
from East Temple Street, (west.)

WILL sell at public and private sale, at 10  
o'clock every morning, Horses, Wagons,  
Merchandise, etc. Warehouse for Storage.

Wanted: Produce of all kinds. 817-12

## DISSOLUTION.

THE Banking firm of POWERS, NEWMAN & CO., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Their business will be settled up by their successors, SCOTT, KERR & CO., at their old place of business.

POWERS, NEWMAN & CO.

R. T. NEW, Sept. 1st, 1864.

GILBERT & SONS,  
Dealers in  
Groceries, Hardware, Clothing etc.

828 Main St., next to Salt Lake House.

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F. LITTLE..... Proprietor.

East Temple Street, Salt Lake City. 828-1

N. S. RANSOHOFF & CO.

Dealers in  
Dry Goods & Ready Made Clothing.

828 Main Street, Salt Lake City.

JAMES LINFORTH,  
Commission Merchant,

908 BATTERY STREET,  
San Francisco, Cal.

Sight Drafts on Salt Lake City, Utah Territory.

" " Austin, Nevada Territory.

Particular attention given to purchases for Utah.

817-12

FOR SALE!

GUNNY SACKS, EMPTY BARRELS, AND  
PACKING BOXES of all sizes, for sale at  
the Subsistence Warehouse, Great Salt Lake

City.

JAS. M. THURMOND,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

Office at Oriental Hotel, up stairs.

Particular attention given to Criminal business.

All Legal Instruments drawn up on the  
shortest notice.

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GEM SALOON.

In the rear of Brown's Store,

Main St.,

BY SEWELL & GREEN.

If you want good and pure liquors, call at  
the Gem Saloon.

If you want a good cigar, call at the Gem  
Saloon.

If you want to rest and read the latest news-  
paper, call at the Gem.

817-12

TELEGRAPH COAL BED.

PARTIES can be supplied with Coal at this

Mine in the shortest notice.

Orders left at the Telegraph Office or at the

Mine, will be promptly attended to.

GEO. W. CARLETON,

Great Salt Lake City, April 6th 1864. 817-12

M. BERGER.

I. MORRIS.

PROVISION MARKET!

The undersigned having procured a stall in the

NEW CITY MARKET,

Will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

CHOICE FRUITS, GROCERIES,

BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY AND</

## The Elective Franchise in Utah.

"No person shall be deemed a resident, within the meaning of this Act, unless he is a tax payer in this Territory."

The above modest proposition constitutes Section 6 of a law of Utah, "prescribing certain qualifications necessary to enable a person to be eligible to hold office, vote or serve as juror," approved Jan. 21st, 1859.

Sec. 3 of the Act provides that no person "shall vote at any election unless he is a free, white male citizen of the United States, over twenty-one years of age, and has been a constant resident in the Territory during the six months next preceding said Election." It will be seen, therefore, that the purpose of the Act is complete in precluding from the elective franchise all who are not tax payers.

Now we do not propose at this time to argue the question whether a property qualification is not a very wholesome and conservative proposition in a governmental system, but it is sufficient for us to know that the whole theory of American institutions is based on universal suffrage. Descanting on this question Jefferson (we think it was) thus put it, the proposition being to insert in the Constitution a property qualification of one hundred dollars: "A owns a jackass worth \$100, A is entitled to vote. Before the next election, the jackass dies, A is not entitled to vote. Query: Is the franchise vested in A or in the jackass?"

Let us examine a little into the history of this suffrage question in Utah. The Organic Act prescribes that at the first election "every free, white male inhabitant above the age of 21 years, who shall have been a resident of the said Territory at the time of the passage of this Act, shall be entitled to vote," leaving the qualifications at subsequent elections to be prescribed by the Legislature, with the provision that the right of suffrage and of holding office shall be exercised only by citizens of the United States.

In January, 1853, the Territorial Legislature enacted, that "all free, white male citizens of the United States, residents of the Territory, over the age of eighteen, are voters and eligible to hold any office within this Territory."

This was extending the elective franchise very considerably. But at the session of 1858-9, as above shown, the right of voting was restricted and hampered with the tax paying proviso. This was in semi-revolutionary times. The great rebellion in Utah had but just been quieted. Johnston's army, with its hundreds of retainers, had come in, and with, perhaps, a natural desire to shut them out from all voice in the management of Utah's internal concerns, we presume the law quoted was enacted. But the times have changed, and Utah is changing with them. The close corporation system, so long in vogue, is struggling in its death throes. A very considerable loyal American and intelligent population has gathered about the Lake of Salt. They are but the vanguard of the great army of progress whose tread is already heard. And when these loyal, free, white male citizens of the United States, above 21 years of age, come, they expect to find themselves invested with their American birth-right, the elective franchise, without needless restrictions or un-American impositions. The spirit of the age and of American institutions is toward universal emancipation from all the restrictions of monarchial or aristocratic systems, which are mildewed and rotten to the core.

It is well known that so long as section 6, above quoted, remains on the

statute book, American citizens, outside of the Mormon Church organization, have no chance of exercising the right of voting. The tax collector asks not for his tithe, and it is to be doubted whether he would accept it, knowing the object to be, to obtain the right to cast a vote. But whether this be so or not, the section should be repealed, that every American citizen, a bona fide resident of the Territory, may have the opportunity of doing what in every other Territory of the nation he has the unquestioned right to do, viz: have a voice in the conduct of public affairs. Perhaps it is saying too much to suggest that we expect the Legislature which meets to-day, will repeal the obnoxious clause, but we present it to their consideration as a matter worthy, not only of thought, but of early action. If, however, they are not bound down by a determination to hold on to power regardless of every other body's rights, and in contravention of the plainest principles of American liberty, they will remove this source of complaint—this present stumbling block in the way of true progress and permanent advancement. Let them "assume a virtue, if they have it not,"—nor leave the task to other hands. It is, moreover, the right of every citizen to have his civil and criminal controversies submitted to a jury of his peers, but the law prescribes (in effect) that no one shall sit on a jury, save the Mormon tax payers of the Territory. The entire act should be re-modeled and made more in consonance with right and justice, as well as with the spirit of the age in which we live.

A TERRIBLE SCENE.—A man named McComb was under sentence of death in Ottumwa, Iowa, for the murder of a girl named Laura Harvey, and the day of execution fixed.

The condemned, however, got an appeal to the Supreme Court, but on the day he was to have been hanged, some 2,000 people gathered at the jail, and avowed a determination to hang the prisoner.

A woman mounted the fence and made an exciting harangue, urging on the mob, and saying if they would leave it to the women they would attend to it themselves. A vote was taken, which was decided to be in favor of the hanging. A rush was now made for the jail, which was forced, and the prisoner brought out. He asked for an hour, which was given him, to prepare for death. A clergyman was sought, and he was finally taken into the Catholic Church and baptized. After this he was placed in a wagon and started for execution. The rope was then fixed and they were about to throw it over the limb of a tree, the prisoner himself assisting. Before this was done, McComb requested to make a few remarks. He said: "I have the rope around my neck, as you see, and have but a few minutes to live, but I am an innocent man; If you will give me until next court, I will prove that George Lawrence is living, and that I did not murder Laura Harvey." At this point a cry was raised through the crowd, "Take him back, take him back," accompanied with the cry, "Hang him, hang him."

The leaders, fearing that the tide was turning, said that it was getting late and they could wait no longer. An attempt was made to throw the rope over the limb, but several resolute men jumped into the wagon and seized the rope. A short struggle for the possession of the rope followed, when the rope was cut, McComb hustled out of that wagon into another and driven rapidly to town, and lodged safely in his old quarters again.

HUNTING IN SOLANO.—The Solano Press says: "Innumerable flocks of wild geese make their annual visit this year, and the crack of the sportsman's gun is heard in all directions. The tules have become a place of great resort, and the hunters are busy from morning to night. Ducks are also reported plenty, and this is counted an excellent season for hunting."

PARSON BROWNLAW'S ACCOUNT OF THE DEATH OF JOHN MORGAN.—John Morgan is no more! And when he died a thief and a coward expired! He was killed in Mrs. Williams' back yard, or cabbage patch, skulking from danger. He was shot through the heart by Andrew Campbell, of Company G, 13th Tennessee Cavalry, while trying to escape. There should be a salute fired in front of every horse-stable in the land in honor of his death, and all fine horses and mules should be notified that they may now repose in quiet at night, and graze in peace in the daytime. Morgan leaves a large amount of gold and green-backs, cotton and real estate, the proceeds of his thieving exploits, resulting from untold murders and robberies, through a space of three years. Who his legal heir is will be difficult to settle.

His first wife was the sister of Colonel Bruce, of Kentucky. She died in Lexington, from the neglect and bad treatment of her debased, gambling, and thieving husband. His second wife was the negro wench he had with him during his residence in this city. She is in Kentucky. His third wife is the daughter of Charles Ready, of Murfreesboro, and she is at Abingdon, in Virginia. Our opinion is, that the negro wench has the oldest claim upon the estate, but we leave this grave question of law to be settled in the Confederate courts, or by special act of their Congress.

Gen. Gillam is in our town, and brought with him eighty-six of Morgan's men, on Monday evening, who were turned over to the jail we were once an inmate of. Some of them were barefooted, and bareheaded, and barebacked. All looked dirty and mean, as though they were fit subjects to be commanded by a common horse thief. Captain Withers, of Covington, A. A. G., Capt. Clay, of Lexington, son of Thos. H. Clay, and three others of Morgan's staff, are among the prisoners. Young Clay is pretending to be sick, so as to cheat our authorities in the paroling of him to the privilege of the town. We are informed that the members of Morgan's staff were captured in a "potatoe hole," in a back yard in Greenville—a sort of place where potatoes and cabbage have been buried. Gallant knights, these!—Knoxville Whig, 7th.

A NOVEL EXCUSE.—At the Middlesex Sessions Joseph Pourri, who had been summoned to serve on the jury, claimed exemption on the ground that he was a foreigner, unable to speak English, and also that he had to feed with his mouth 500 young persons, and that if he were engaged as a juror they would die directly, as there was no other man in this country could feed them as he could. Mr. Payne said it was a strange excuse, and exempted him on the ground of his being unable to speak English.—English Paper.

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DEATH OF A FEMALE MISER.—Last week, says a London paper, on August 21st, a Mrs. Niven died in Broad street, Fraserburg, Scotland, whose death created no little sensation in the town. This woman lived for many years in a large house alone, without servants, holding scarcely any intercourse with those around her. A few days ago, however, she was found to be unwell. Some of the neighbors visited her, and seeing her condition, they called a doctor and the clergyman of the parish. She continued to sink fast. When they perceived that life was fast ebbing they wished to know if she had anything to say regarding her friends whom she was about to leave behind. Having replied to them satisfactorily, they went up stairs to find her will, when they first came upon one bundle of pound notes, and then upon another. On counting them they were found to amount to upwards of £600, including seventeen sovereigns; and with these a check for £500. Other documents turned up that added £600 more to the above. Besides the £1700 in cash, she had property of considerable value, which will show her to have been worth more than £2000; and yet she could not feel in her heart to bestow upon herself the necessities of life. Although possessed of more than an ordinary quantity of the best of clothing she could not take her use of them, but had them laid up carefully beside her. The whole has been left to a first cousin.

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Embracing a full Stock of Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Spices, Oysters, Fruit, Candies, CHEWING & SMOKING TOBACCO, CIGARS, FANCY PIPES, Palm, German, Castle & Fancy Soap, Notions, Dye Stuffs, Boots, Shoes, Hats, STATIONERY, JEWELRY, ETC.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF NAILS

W. N. B.—The Provision and General Outfitting Business will be conducted at the old stand of S. J. LEES, by the new firm.

VEDETTE G. & S. M. COMPANY.

WEST MOUNTAIN MINING DIST., U. T.

September 15th, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Trustees, made on the second day of September, 1864; so much of the stock standing in the names of the following shareholders, as will be necessary to pay all delinquent assessments levied thereon; together with the expenses of advertising and sale, unless previously paid. The stock will be sold at Auction at the Secretary's office in Salt Lake City on Monday the Third day of October, next, at two o'clock P. M.

NAMES. SHARES. AMT.

NAMES.	SHARES.	AMT.
C. B. Waite	175	4000 00
Dan'l McLean	200	110 00
N. B. Eldred	200	110 00
W. H. John	200	110 00
Mrs D. McLean	200	110 00
A. L. Bailey	200	110 00
Mrs G. B. Odilie	200	110 00
Mrs C. B. Waite	200	110 00
— Titus	25	12 50
— Williamson	25	12 50
Albert Sinclair	200	110 00
Arthur Heitz	175	70 00
Josiah Hosmer	100	50 00
Dan'l Sullivan	150	80 00
— Appleby	25	12 50
Francis Honeyman	50	20 00
Adam Craft	150	80 00
Amy Frances	25	12 50
Absalom Harlick	25	12 50
C. F. Ferguson	100	50 00
Wm. Spinner	50	10 00
O. C. Harscomb	25	5 00

The above sale is postponed to Nov. 12th next.

The above sale is postponed to December 12th, 1864.

## NOTICE.

Jordan Silver Mining Company, West Mountain Mining District, Utah Territory.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the laws of California, under which the Company is incorporated, and the laws of the State of California, there will be sold at public auction, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October, 1864, at 8 o'clock A. M., at the Secretary's Office, (Telegraph Office,) Great Salt Lake City, so many shares of the capital stock of the Company, standing in the names of the following persons, as will be necessary to pay all assessments due thereon, together with costs of advertising and sale:

No. No. No.

Cert. of Shrs. Ass'ts. Am't.

Daniel McLean, 273 20 2,544.00 8210.00

N. B. Eldred, 273 20 2,544.00 8210.00

R. Washburn, 284 5 44.00 7.00

L. H. Willard, 263 1 44.00 7.00

unknown, 229, 229 1 44.00 7.00

No. No. No.

GEO. W. CARLETON, Secretary.

Salt Lake City, Sept. 5, 1864.

The above sale is postponed to November 12th, next.

GEO. W. CARLETON, Secretary.

Salt Lake City, Oct. 5, 1864.

The above sale is postponed until December 12th, 1864.

G. W. CARLETON, Secretary.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 24, 1864.

## Local Matters.

Two of our composers, V. B. DeLashmutt and Wm. McClatchy, recently discharged soldiers, leave us today. One for his home in Oregon—the other for a cold ride to New York.

We cannot see them go without wishing for them a speedy, safe and pleasant trip. We have been a long time associated with them, both as soldiers and members of the fraternity, and have ever found them honest, upright, intelligent men and the best of workmen. And we cheerfully recommend them to our brother publishers as composers of the first class, and as temperate, steady, faithful and reliable men. As a statement from us which is cheerfully accorded, we would say that the above mentioned composers have for the past two months or more, set the type for the DAILY VEDETTE, without assistance from others, and have done the work easily.

On paying a visit to Salt Lake City on Saturday last, we found the streets alive with people, teams from the country and wagons for the distant mining regions, while the storehouses were thronged with purchasers of the large and well selected stocks of our merchants.

Business seems to be effectually the order of the day there, and there is just sufficient competition to make things lively and brisk. We also noticed the bankers' windows lined with dust and coin, and, judging from the inquiries for Holladay & Halsey, Clark & Co., and Scott, Kerr & Co. made by the mining class, they must be doing a stirring business. We made our usual call at Messrs. Rosenbaum & Newman's stall, where one cannot pass by without feeling himself hungry—one look at the choice joints and slices on their counters and hooks, tempts a man to taste. They are doing the best business in town in the meat line.

The hotels are all going it with a rush. Saloons are mixing agreeable dritiks for hundreds of customers. The auctioneers are singing, "going and gone," to large crowds, and everybody in and about Salt Lake City, speak encouragingly and congratulate one with the other on the "stranger" prosperity that has visited them during the past two years, and say to the "new population," let them come, "verily they doeth good."

MEETING OF THE LEGISLATURE.—The fourteenth annual session of the Territorial Legislature of Utah will assemble in the State House this morning, at ten o'clock. The sessions are limited to forty days. Within that time the Saintly Solons might do much to advance the interests of the Territory, if so disposed. But to accomplish aught of benefit to the people, they must divest themselves of the senseless prejudices which have heretofore made their predecessors look with an evil eye upon everything which emanated from any other source than the Church dignitaries. The world is moving, and the impulse has already been communicated to Utah. Will our Legislators appreciate and act upon this palpable fact? *Nous verrons.*

The late storms have not only been of long duration and severe in our vicinity, but have extended to Nevada and California. We see by our Western exchanges that the most of the California rivers have overflowed their banks and flooded the country to some considerable extent, though, but little or no damage has been suffered thus far. As for us in Camp Douglas, we are yet imbedded in that six inches of snow, and a sleigh ride could be enjoyed any day on "the bench."

The Telegraph won't give us a single word, the recent storms having severed their line of communication East of Omaha.

We wish to inform the public of Salt Lake city in general, that there is a wolf in sheep's clothing lurking about town, under the name of Frank McGovern, formerly proprietor of the National Minstrel Troupe—who is unworthy of the confidence or favor of any community. He has not only defrauded the members of the Troupe out of their just dues, but his printing bills remain unsettled—and he openly boasts that he will never liquidate any debts which he has contracted. We have indiged his rascality a long while, and publish the above that others may be on their guard for his schemes.

CONVALESCENT.—The Telegraph man has been suffering latterly from repeated bad spells. We notice from an acknowledgment in his columns that Dr. Walker has prescribed frequent doses of Webster's Anodyne (unabridged), and presented him with the curative. Hope it will be effectual.

We appreciate the delicacy of the compliment that the liberal doctor didn't think it at all necessary to send one to the *Velette*. *Bully for us!*

The Christmas holidays are not to be passed off without notice. Balls seem to be the chief source of amusement. Preceding the Christmas Eve Ball in Camp, given by that most exalted and worthy band of patriots, the Good Templars, there is to be another grand affair of the "light fantastic tripping" on Friday evening, Dec. 23rd, given in the City, by the Y. M. L. Association.

## FRESH ARRIVALS. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

—AT—

SIEGEL & CO.'S  
**CLOTHING HALL,**  
Cor. Main and 1st South Temple St.,  
Great Salt Lake City.

We have on hand the most complete assortment of

**FALL AND WINTER  
Ready Made Clothing  
AND  
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS**  
ever brought into this Territory, consisting of every variety of

**OVER-COATS (with and without Caps)**  
**DRESS COATS OF ALL STYLES,**

**PANTS,**

**VESTS,**

**SHIRTS,**

**HATS,**

**CAPS,**

**BOOTS,**

**SHOES.**

**BLANKETS, ETC.**

together with a splen-did assortment of notions of all kinds, which we will sell at prices that will

**DEFY COMPETITION,**  
in order to make room for more  
**GOODS ON THE ROAD.**

Liberal advances offered to

**Country Dealers.**

Remember the place.

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HUMAN BREATH.—W. E. Barret, assistant in the Physical Laboratory of the Royal Institution, has published in the Philosophical Magazine (at the request of Professor Tyndall) a record of his remarkable experiments on this interesting subject, made chiefly by means of the apparatus employed by Dr. Tyndall in his researches on the absorption and radiation of heat by various matter. Carefully prepared vulcanized India-rubber bags were filled with air from the lungs

—1, about half an hour after rising; 2, about ten minutes after breakfast; 3, after a brisk walk; and 4, after severe exertion. Dr. Franklin determined exactly the amount of carbonic acid in each bag. A series of fourteen tables shows the amount of tension in the air, the carbonic acid in it, the powers of absorption, etc. The following is the proportion of the carbonic acid in the breath in the above mentioned conditions: 1—4.311; 2—4.556; 3—4.061; 4—5.212. Absorption per cent. by 30 inches of breath, of bag 1—50.6; bag 2—52.8; bag 3—53.7; bag 4—54.

SCIENCE AND GALLANTRY.—The philosophers at Bath [at the recent meeting there of the British Association] have been discussing the relative temperature of the two sexes. Aristotle attributed greater warmth to the male, but some who came after him disputed this position. Now, it seems, if Dr. Davy's experiments are correct, that the Greek was right. Dr. Davy has recently made some observations, using a thermometer of great delicacy, and taking for the purpose of his experiments three men and three women, all in good health. The temperature of the men varied between 99 and 99½; that of the women between 97½ and 98. Some discussion arose upon these statements, which gave the President of the session an opportunity of showing that science can be gallant as well as statistical. Whatever difference of opinion there might be, he said, as to the accuracy of Dr. Davy's conclusions, all would agree that if men were more warmly bodied than women, the women were the more warm-hearted.—*London Review*.

AN INTERESTING RELIC.—The editor of the Trenton *Monitor* has recently examined a manuscript letter, dated Lisbon, the 17th of December, 1777. It is from a tory across the Atlantic to a tory in this country, written in the style of writing and on the paper "of the period," and showing the marks of age and travel. The writer expresses gratification at the occupation of Philadelphia by King George's troops, and laments the defeat of Burgoyne; also "the disagreeable situation of our friends whom Congress had sent prisoners to Virginia"—probably to a "bastile." The letter has a strange interest from being written in the midst of events which have been so long matters of history, and we can hardly realize that, after the lapse of eighty years, the correspondence concerning this war will be of as much interest.

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